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PRESENTATION, ADJUSTMENT,	:	
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METHOD THEREFOR	:	

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**AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 28, 2008, please amend the present patent application, which accompanies a corresponding Request for Continued Examination, as follows: